

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:	)	
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Jean-Christophe CHARLIER et al.	)	Group Art Unit: 4181
	)	
Application No.: 10/550,158	)	Examiner: Carlos BARCENA
	)	
§ 371 Filing Date: October 10, 2006	)	
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For: CARBON NANOSTRUCTURES AND	)	Confirmation No. 5335
PROCESS FOR THE PRODUCTION OF	)	
CARBON-BASED NANOTUBES,	)	
NANOFIBRES AND NANOSTRUCTURES	)	<b>VIA EFS-WEB</b>

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

**PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME**

Applicant petitions for a three-month extension of time to file a reply to the Office Action of December 23, 2008. A fee of \$1,110.00 is submitted herewith.

Please grant any additional extensions of time required to enter the attached reply and charge any additional required fees to Deposit Account 06-0916.

Respectfully submitted,

FINNEGAN, HENDERSON, FARABOW,  
GARRETT & DUNNER, L.L.P.

Dated: April 23, 2009

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